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These Enterprising Abbotsford Men, Operating Silver Chief Mine At Chilliwack Lake, Won't Fail for Want of Resourceful Effort

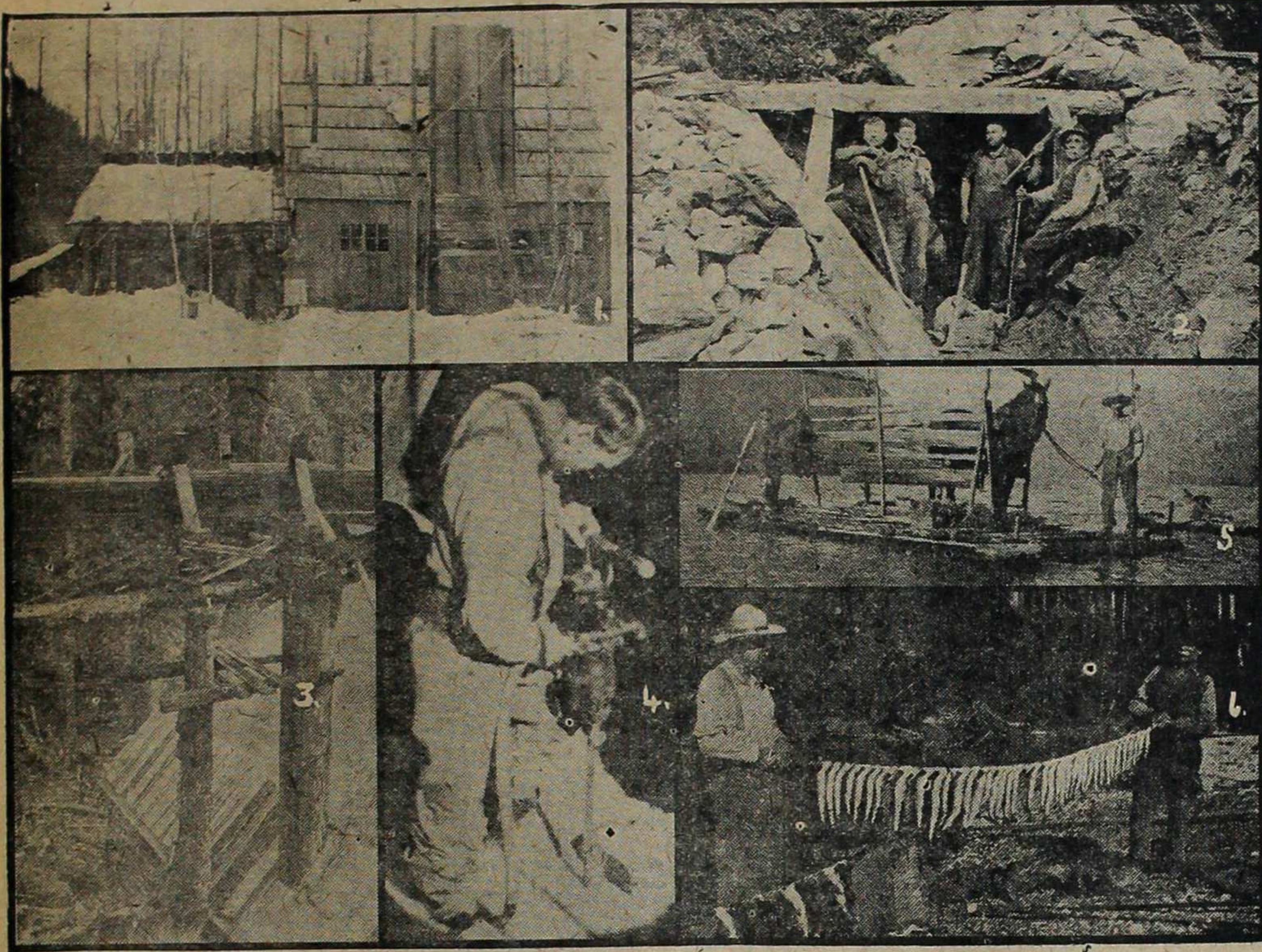


Plate by courtesy Vancouver Sun

1. Cedar shake camp buildings at the Dolly Varden mine.
2. Principals of the Silver Chief Mining Company. From left to right: F. W. Johnson, managing-director; William Groat, secretary-treas; G. R. Wright, president; Chief Billy Sepsas.

3. The pipeline and power house. A split cedar flume carries the water and the vertical penstock going down through the roof is a hollowed cedar log.

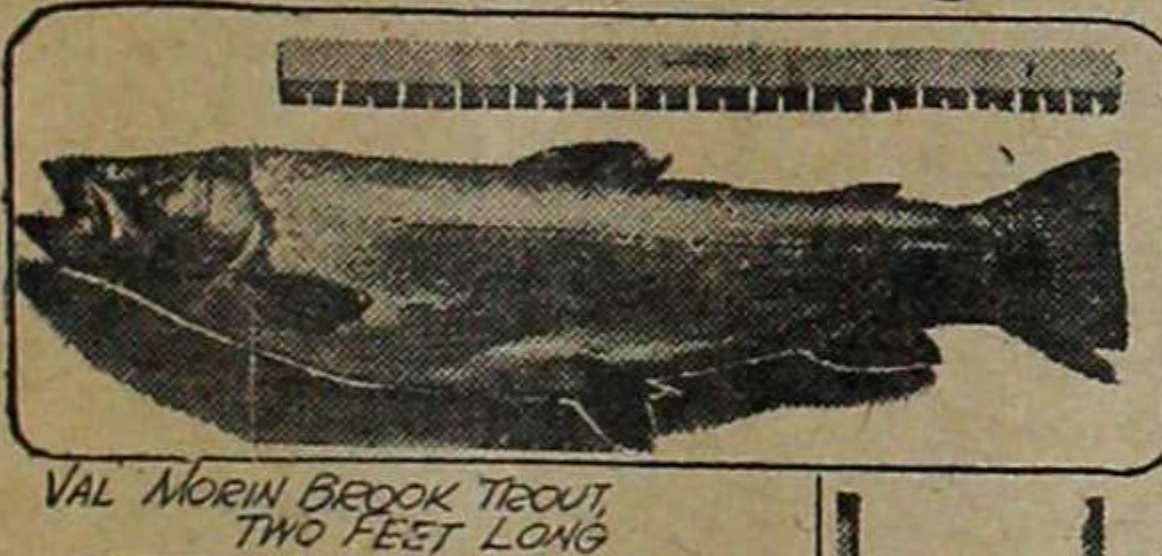
4. From power developed by that method a compressed air drill is operated,

saving much arduous labor with double jack and steel. Mr. Wright is at the drill.

5. This ferry may be primitive, but it is necessary and effective during earlier operations of the company. The horse is a passenger, by the way.

6. A little diversion that we in Abbotsford have heard lots about—some of the proof: 44 fine trout, Dolly Vardens, Silvers, Cutthroats, and Rainbows. This fine lay-out was caught in two hours close to the camp.

Where Ardent Anglers Seek Quebec's Fishing



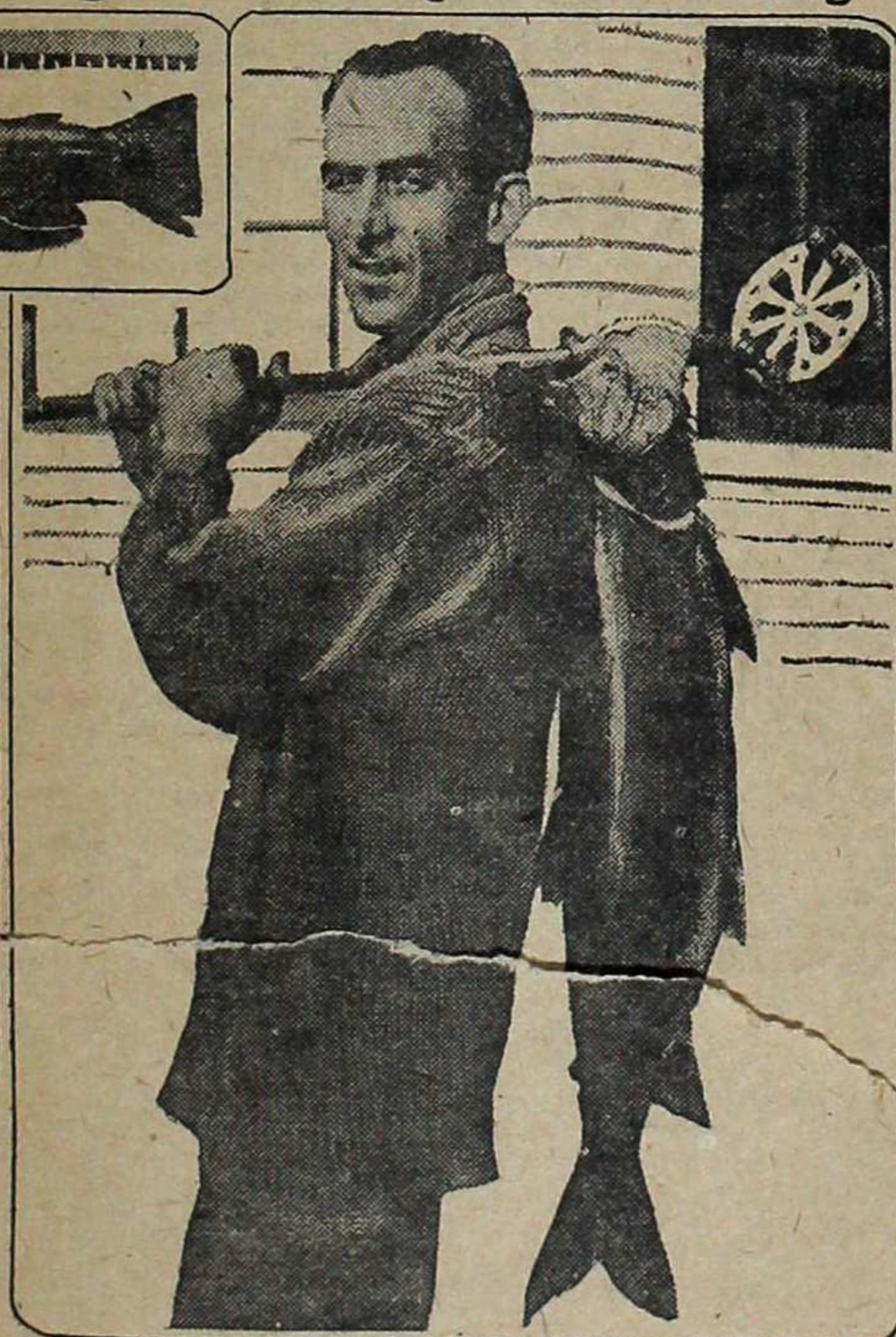
VAL MORIN BROOK TROUT, TWO FEET LONG



ON A LAURENTIAN LAKE, IN QUEBEC

An army of anglers is preparing for the annual fishing expeditions to the province of Quebec, where innumerable rivers, streamlets and brooks, as well as lakes of every size and shape, are the habitat of many game fish. Once a Quebec fisherman, always a Quebec fisherman. The opening day for the pursuit of this sport is May 1st, and a week earlier the sportsmen started their northward trek to be the first one to land a trophy.

Brook trout are particularly desired and the fisherman who hooks a large one of this fighting species, is indeed a proud person. There are numerous waters that yield brook trout generously, especially along the 180 miles of the Mont Laurier branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway that runs northwest of Montreal into the Laurentian Mountains. Trout can be taken from the pools of streams on either side of the railway all the way from St. Jerome to Mont Laurier at the end of steel, and if one is an adventurous sportsman, he will delve into the wild woods and waters beyond, for the natives are enthusiastic as to Lake Dumouchel, 8 miles to the north, famous for its



BIG 14-15 LB. GREY TROUT FROM A LAURENTIAN LAKE

red trout; Lake Thibault, 3 miles east, that offers good pike fishing; Lac des Ecorces, which is 4 miles south, with one hotel and two fishing clubs, whose guests enjoy good sport catching pike, dore and "whitefish", as locally termed. Lac des Isles, seven miles south of Mont Laurier, is a charming summer resort. This lake is 30 miles in circumference and contains 27 islands, many of them bearing cottages. It is noted for its beautiful scenery and the large trout that inhabit it. There are 27 stations between St. Jerome and Mont Laurier, and a stop-off at nearly any one of them leads to excellent fishing grounds. Some of the most popular points are St. Faustin with its surrounding waters; St. Jovite, with the popular Grey Rocks Inn overlooking Lac Ouimet, where red trout are found, and numerous adjacent waters yield various species of the finny tribes. It is but a two-mile ride from Lac Mer-

ciere station to Mont Tremblant, the highest peak in the Laurentians, and the lake of the same name, which is 10 miles long and noted for its big fish. Gray, or lake trout, up to 20 lbs. are common. Several fishermen's hotels provide accommodations for visitors, and Grey Rocks Inn maintains a comfortable lodge for about 15 guests here. Lake Cochrane, a 15 minute walk from the shore of Lac Mercier, opposite the station, is noted for its fine mixed fishing. Labelle, at the 100 mile station, is the centre of a maze of streams and lakes that afford exceptionally good trout fishing, while 23 miles further on, is Nominigues, with its big and little lakes of the same name. Monster pike weighing up to 58 lbs. are caught here. At varying distances from these lakes are located six fishing clubs. Every stop along the line provides accommodations at reasonable rates for visiting fishermen.

NEW ROAD PROPOSED IN SUMAS

Road development and drainage will be the chief consideration of Sumas Council for the present year. The Fadden-Porter-Peyton drainage scheme has been placed under the Ditches and Watercourses Act, and the ditching has been completed.

The Council will accept as public property the Cameron road when a deed or subdivision plan is tendered. Because of the dangerous curves and troublesome grades of the Kilgarr road along the base of Sumas mountain a substitute highway is planned. The route of this proposed highway will be from the Eldridge property on District Lot 223, westward bordering the Indian reservation, paralleling the G.N.R. grade to Kilgarr, thence straight on through District Lot 95 along the Fooks property and out to Whatcom road.

Very little excitement prevailed at Whatcom road hall on Monday, municipal nomination day, most of the council and school board being elected for renewed terms by acclamation. The appointments stand as follows: Reeve, J. A. Lamson; Council, Ward 1—James Frith; Ward 2—(only contest) Angus Willis; J. B. Bolster; Ward Three, E. H. Boley; Ward Four, David Buchanan. School Board—W. D. Fadden, E. H. Boley, D. Buchanan (two year term), Harry Day (one year term, replacing W. Fooks, resigned).

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OREGON HOP GROWERS TRUCK SEVERAL LOADS OF BREWERS' BLOSSOMS TO SUMAS PRAIRIE

Chief topic of discussion at a meeting of Huntingdon and Sumas District Board of Trade held in Sumas Municipal hall on Tuesday evening was the mail service given residents on Abbotsford Rural Route 2. Complaints were voiced and correspondence was read by the Secretary between the Board and District Postal Superintendent J. F. Murray in respect to a suggestion that a rural route be operated from Huntingdon for the better convenience of Upper Sumas residents.

As Chairman of the meeting Reeve Lamson pointed out that the Sumas municipal council was not yet in a position to open up for mail traffic a certain thoroughfare mentioned in the Board's recommendation to the Postal Department. He favored a sub-post office somewhere in the Upper Sumas district, preferably at Evan-Thomas. In the discussion on this matter others favored Whatcom road corner. The matter was set over to await petition of those directly concerned should they decide to take such action, as the usual procedure in such matters.

Letters were received from

To Electors of Matsqui Municipality:

As our campaign is drawing to a close I would like to draw your attention to a few facts.

When I came before you a year ago I promised, if elected, to do my best to bring about an improvement in certain conditions in the Municipality.

I have been successful in some of this work—namely, better policing of the municipality and a reduction of the heavy overdraft standing against the district. In the former matter we now have a permanent police staff in the Municipality at no greater cost than the old method of having a man on part time. In connection with finance we have reduced our overdraft by about \$8,000, and my policy will be to reduce this gradually—say \$2,000 per year in future, according to our ability, without curtailing too much public work or causing a hardship in certain parts of the district. I am opposed to increasing the taxes.

It will be my policy, if elected, to further improve conditions by having the Clerk's office established in the Municipal Hall, and have him or her at regular

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

John R. Booth, Canadian lumber king, died Dec. 8 at his home in Ottawa. He was 98 years of age.

The guarantors of the British Empire Exhibition are now being called upon to pay 75 per cent. of the guarantee—that is, 15 shillings for every £1.

Field Marshal Viscount Allenby will make a tour of Canada, early in the new year and will reach Victoria in March.

The House of Commons has given final approval to the bill to give effect to the new Irish boundary agreement, passing it through its second and third readings without a division.

The failure of Canadian wheat to take first place in the Chicago International is blamed by experts on the short ripening season of this year.

A motion seeking to authorize the use of the lash on men convicted of the sale of narcotic drugs was unanimously passed in the B.C. legislature at Victoria.

Sir Hall Caine is in Palestine, where he is writing a book on the life of Christ. It is not expected that he will return to the Isle of Man until next spring.

Quarantined in his home with diphtheria, Rev. T. C. Collister, Methodist Episcopal clergyman, delivered a sermon by radio to a congregation in his church at Pueblo, Colo.

Glasgow Corporation recently banned the use of intoxicants at civic functions, and now Aberdeen has followed Glasgow's lead by declaring that at civic ceremonies henceforth liquor will be prohibited.

The League of Nations Council has decided to invite the United States, Russia and Germany to participate in the work of the special commission which is to prepare for an international disarmament conference.

The largest air express in the world is to be fitted as the first air restaurant car and will be put into service between London and the continent. The saloon has luxurious armchair seats for 50 passengers.

Power to place an embargo on shipments of coal from U. S. to Canada and other foreign countries will be given under some of the proposals for coal legislation now being made in congress. Little progress is expected this session, however.

Another Innovation For Turkey

Modern Motor Hearse Has Been Introduced In Constantinople

The westernization of Turkey has touched even its funeral rites. The motor hearse has been introduced in Constantinople. This innovation is the work of Emin Bey, the revolutionary Prefect of Constantinople, who has decided that the old custom, which prescribed that the nearest male relatives of the dead should carry the coffin on their shoulders to the grave, involves unnecessary hardship. He himself purchased the new hearse. The first Occidental style funeral with a motor hearse was held in Constantinople recently for Hildar Bey, a young director of the Turkish Bank, killed in an automobile accident.

Another Boom In Passion Play Village

Many Attracted By Celebration of Unveiling of Crucifixion Group

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C. N. R. Earnings

Road More Prosperous Than It Has Ever Been Says Sir Henry Thornton

The Canadian National Railway system is more prosperous today than it has ever been, said Sir Henry Thornton, after spending three weeks in Britain and France. He predicted that the net earnings for this year, given good weather conditions, will be close to \$30,000,000. The bulk of the remarkable increase in earnings was due to lower operating costs, brought about by greater efficiency in management and the increased devotion to the road shown by the employees.

"I am satisfied that the wholehearted support of its officers and men is the most valuable asset which any railway can possess," said Sir Henry. Operating efficiency had been possible because the Canadian National Railway had avoided the rock which wrecked many state-owned institutions in the past—the encroachment of politics.

"The moment politics creeps in, handicapping the officers, you are finished," Sir Henry said. "We have run the road as a business proposition, refusing to admit any political interference and refraining from interfering ourselves in any political situation."

"We in Canada have just come through a very keenly-contested election, and I think it is a generally recognized fact that throughout the campaign we kept the railway out of politics."

Sir Henry predicted an increase of immigration from the Old Country to Canada during the coming year. "Our immigration policy is just getting into its stride," he said, "and I believe it is going to produce very satisfactory results."

"The Old Country has touched bottom, and from now on things are going to improve," said Sir Henry. He remarked that in France everybody was working. "The French Government may be involved in financial troubles," he said, "but the French people give every evidence of being highly prosperous."

Not Going To Strangers

British Boys Will Find Friends In Australia

It is a great thing that the party of 150 British boys who left London for Australia should have been received by the Prince of Wales. From him in person they learnt with what warm sympathy he follows them. They go, as he told them, not to a foreign country or to strangers, but to live among people of our own British stock. The Big Brother Movement ensures for them the help of true friends in their new surroundings. For that reason it and the Scout Movement might be described as the two most beneficial movements of modern times.

Each little brother who sails from England will find in Australia a big brother to watch over his happiness and give advice and aid. The feeling of deadly loneliness and homesickness which settlers knew in the past when they made a journey of 12,000 miles to a strange land will be entirely removed.—Overseas Daily Mail.

Object To New Order

Turks At Erzerum Do Not Take Kindly To Wearing Hats

A revolt has broken out at Erzerum against the modernization policy of the Ankara Government. Great masses of the populace closed the shops and rushed to the governor's house, shouting: "Down with infelicious officials." Martial law was declared. Many have been arrested.

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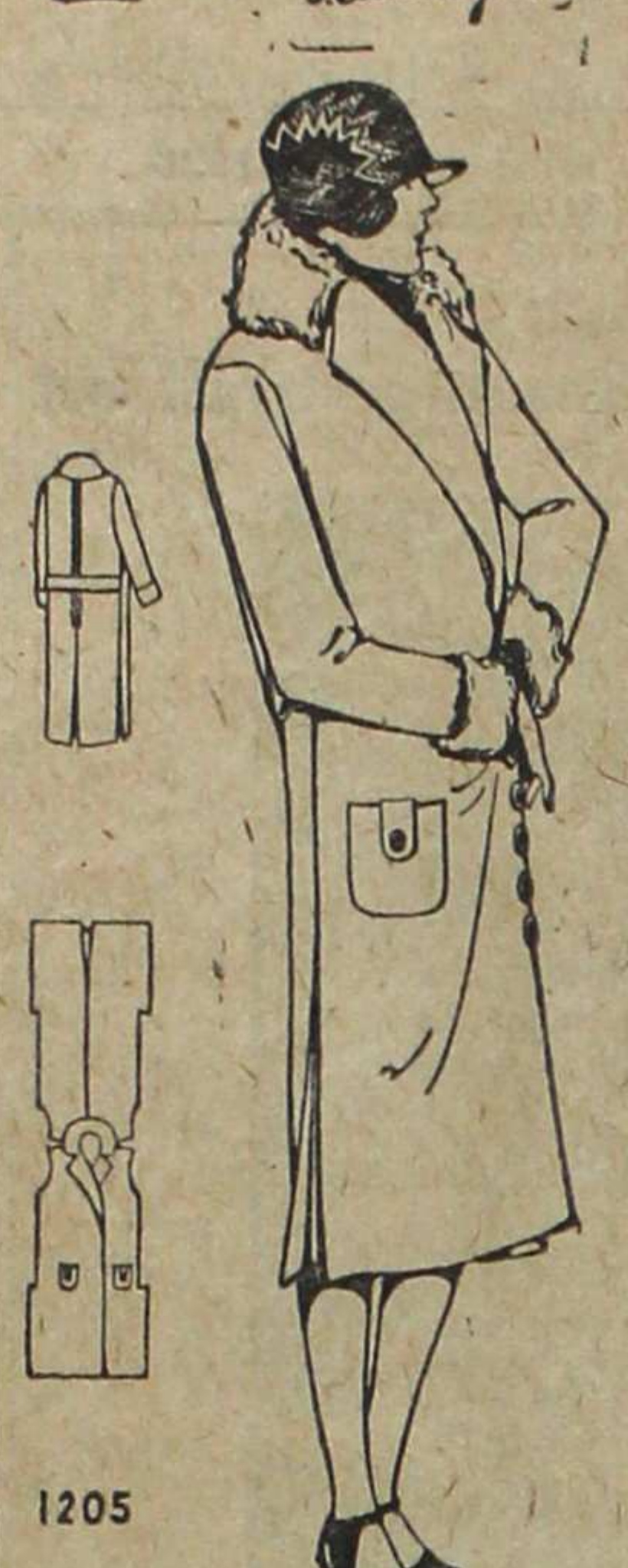
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Danger In Short Skirts

Influenza and Rheumatism Follows Train of Fashion Says London Physicians

London is having an epidemic of "short skirt influenza," a chill often followed by rheumatic pains in the knee and hip joints, the sufferers being women who wear the fashionable scanty skirts in spite of the inclemencies of the London winter.

Physicians say this year's styles expose women to illness more than ever, since the skirts are short and flowing, not affording even the warmth of the short tight skirt of a year ago.

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A Novel Film Studio

Movies Dealing With Public Health Produced In England

A film studio which possesses novel features is situated in the back garden of an old house in Bermondsey, London, England.

Here are produced, under the guidance of Dr. R. King Brown, medical officer of health for Bermondsey, propaganda pictures dealing in matters of public health and well-being. Subjects of the films include child welfare and the prevention of contamination of food by flies.

Dr. Conan, who is in charge of the propaganda work of the department, acts as producer, camera man, and writer of the "sub-titles," while all the actors are clerks, doctors, and nurses on the staff of the department.

On a large wooden platform at the bottom of the garden the various scenes are "shot," and whenever filming is in progress a large crowd of Bermondsey's children may be seen gathered outside the wall, hoping for jobs as scene-shifters or "supers."

This "film advice" is given in a straightforward way, and is not wrapped up in stories with imaginary characters. Dr. Conan says that he finds people pay more attention to the advice given if it is done this way. After all, it is so easy to make baby's bath time into a humorous episode if one is not very careful.

The only part of the work not done by the health department staff is the developing and finishing off of the films. This is a highly technical matter, and is better left in the hands of experts.

Will Explore Sunken City

Streets of Submerged Town Plainly Seen By Experts

An Arab fisherman of Jerbu, the "Isle of Lotus Eaters," recently returned home with a strange story.

He said that, bending over the side of his little boat, about five hundred yards from the shore, he had seen what looked like a city at the bottom of the sea. His story was at once investigated by experts. They also saw the city under the sea—they could even distinguish its streets.

It is believed that this submarine town is one of the ancient ports of the Phoenicians, and it is hoped that information of the greatest value regarding this people and their civilization will be gained as a result of further investigations. A preliminary survey is to be carried out by aeroplanes, and after that it is probable that divers will explore the sunken city.

Submarine cities exist, or are reputed to exist, in other parts of the world. The Dutch will tell you that several ruined towns are sunk at the bottom of the Zuider Zee, and the legendary city of Vineta is said to lie off the coast of Holstein. On quiet days, so the fishermen of the region will assure you, the tolling of the bells in the spires of its sunken churches may be heard at sea.

A Self-Imposed Bill

Fifty Millions Wagered On Canadian Tracks In 1925

The deduction is made from official figures at Ottawa that nearly fifty million dollars was wagered at Canadian tracks in the 1925 racing season.

That amount is greater than the bank clearings at a city the size of Kitchener or Fort William or Brantford. It is almost equal to the value of the whole Canadian barley crop for 1924. It is the equivalent of the selling price of our combined crops of mixed grains, buckwheat, beans, peas and rye. In terms of potatoes it was enough to buy up the whole Canadian crop, which sold in 1924 for \$47,956,000.

The money bet on horse racing would come within six millions of paying for all the horses in the province of Ontario; it falls short by a similar amount of equalling the value of creamery butter produced in all Canada for 1924. It exceeds by a good margin the value of all the minerals taken out of British Columbia in a year.

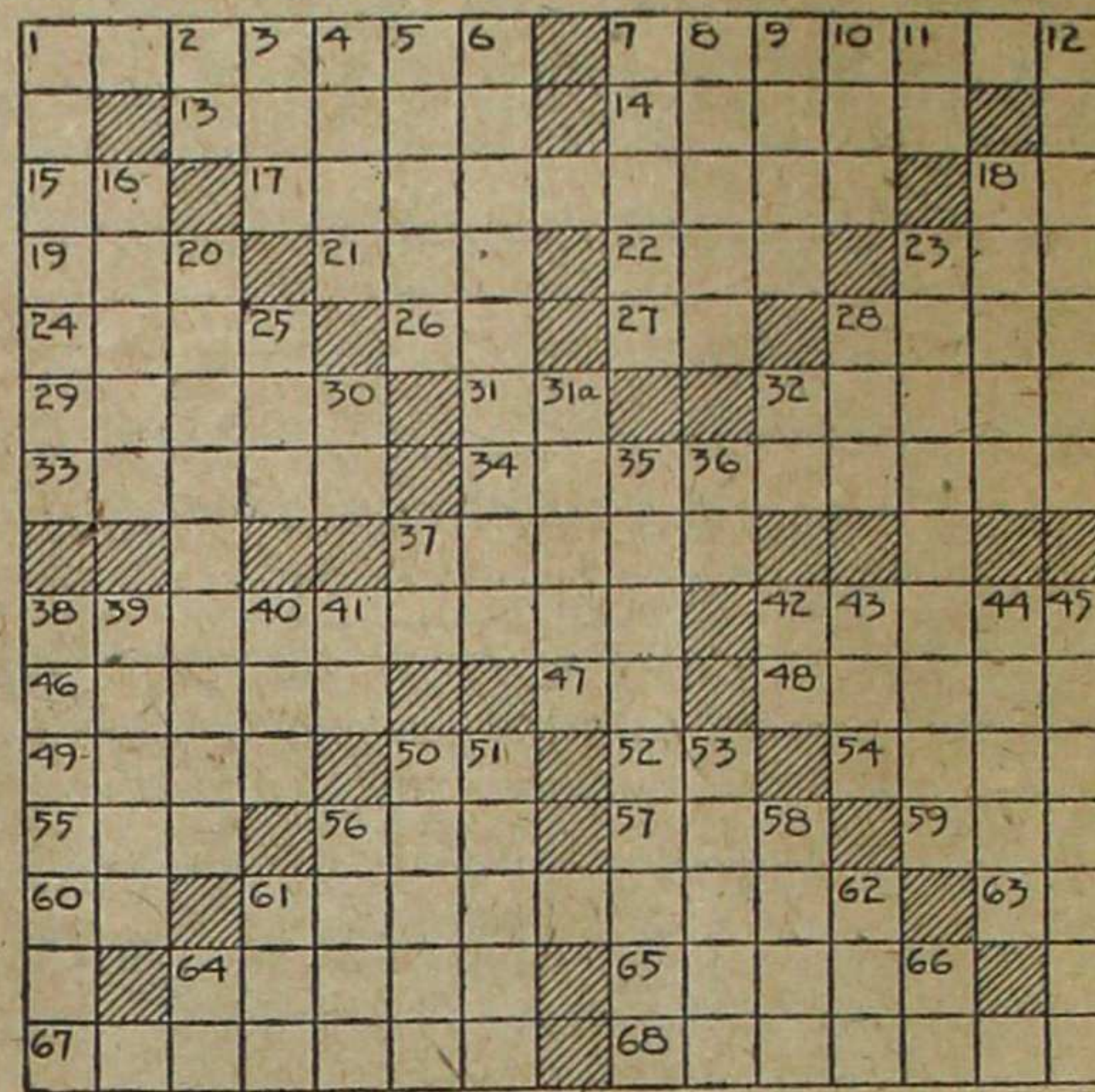
Or to put it another way, it's about fifty million dollars more than the people can afford.—London Advertiser.

First Navigator To Circle Earth
M.A. The circumnavigation of the earth has been accomplished between the years 1519 and 1522; and the honor of the achievement belongs to Magellan, a native of Portugal in the service of Spain. He sailed from San Lucar on Sept. 20, 1519, with three ships and entered the Pacific by passing around the southern extremity of South America through the strait that bears his name.

Song Painting

Wilbur—"Don't you think Clara is good looking?"
Alex—"Yes, she's as pretty as a picture, but she has such a narrow frame."

OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Horizontal

- 1—A common soldier.
- 7—Throwing.
- 12—Conflagrations.
- 14—Open spaces.
- 15—A thoroughfare (abbr.).
- 17—Month.
- 18—Point of the compass (abbr.).
- 19—Intention.
- 21—Tune.
- 22—Eternity.
- 23—Mineral spring.
- 24—A dull color.
- 26—Baby's name for father.
- 27—Conjunction.
- 28—Man's name.
- 29—Kind of bird.
- 31—A continent (abbr.).
- 32—Unaccompanied.
- 33—Prevent.
- 34—Gawgaws.
- 37—Common term for arships.
- 38—Forecasted.
- 42—Thin piece of bread.
- 46—Foreigner.
- 47—Prefix meaning "two."
- 48—One who tones.
- 49—Tear.
- 50—Manuscript (abbr.).

Vertical

- 1—Marched.
- 2—Conjunction.
- 3—Force; potency.
- 4—Open space.
- 5—Warm.
- 6—Become strangers.
- 7—Small carved gem.
- 8—Trellis for grapes.
- 9—Perceived.
- 10—Sailor.
- 11—Exists.
- 12—Lubricates.
- 16—Funeral music.
- 18—A bird.
- 20—Persecuting.
- 23—Articles of apparel.

Answers to Last Week's Puzzle

CHARM TEAM SOARS
L. TEAM VANS U
OH DROP ROME PI
COT EDUCATE HOT
KNEE ELOPE MESS
EARS LOT HIRE
RACE L PASS
SORT HASH
PEON T STAB
MART COD EPIC
FANS DOMES SELL
LIE PARENTS ROO
ON TALE TOWS GT
O NICE PAUL U
DRONE BROWS

Recruiting Reserve Air Force

Enlistment on Voluntary Basis is Only An Experiment

Voluntary recruiting of the special reserve and auxiliary air force squadrons which are to form an important part of the programme of home defence against air attack was commenced at the beginning of November, following a speaking campaign by Sir Samuel Hoare, secretary of state for air, in the Kingdom's industrial centres.

This enlistment of the maximum amount of skilled knowledge of aviation in the country on a voluntary basis is only an experiment, Sir Samuel acknowledges, but it is an experiment that must be tried fully, if merely for the sake of economy. for the Royal Air Force is bound to be expensive, both in equipment and maintenance, depending for its striking power on an entire absence of mechanical breakdown in the air.

The problem before the air ministry is to sift from the mass of volunteers the right type of officers and men, with not only the will but also the practical experience through his profession or trade to build up an efficient air unit of defence with the minimum amount of annual training. No other country has yet endeavored to tackle its air defence problem along the same lines.

Probably

Two rounders who had been making a night of it passed a sightless beggar on a street corner.

"Thash fellow's blind and can't see," said one rounder, very seriously.

"Thash so!" replied the other, in sympathetic tones. "Whash matter with the poor chap?"

"I dunno for sure," said the first rounder. "Maybe he's lost his eyesight!"

"Phwat are thim buckets for on the shift in the hall?" asked one Irishman of another.

"Can't ye read It says on them: 'For Fire Only.'"

"Thin why do they put wather in thim?"

World's Largest Motor Ship

Sweden Has Most Modern Example of Marine Architecture

A new visitor has made its bow to New York harbor.

The newcomer is the Gripsholm, the largest motor ship in the world and the largest to fly the flag of Sweden. Flying the housejack of the Swedish-American line, she left Gotenburg November 21 on her maiden voyage.

The Gripsholm is of 23,500 tons displacement and 574.6 feet long, driven by two giant Diesel engines. She is one of the most unusual vessels afloat, and is the most modern example of marine architecture burning neither oil nor coal but using electricity throughout the ship—for power, heat and cooking. Her two funnels are partly ornamental and partly for use as elevator shafts.

The Boss (dictating).—"If there is a mistake in this account we will be glad to adjust same."

Stenographer.—"How do you spell adjust? With a 'g' or 'j'?"

The Boss.—"Er—tell them that we've fooled with them long enough and that if they don't pay we'll sue 'em."

Teacher.—"Now what is the angle DSC equivalent to?"

Boy (returning from land of Morpheus).—"The department of street cleaning."



BARRE, SON OF KAZAN

by James Oliver Curwood

A LOVE EPIC OF THE FAR NORTH

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"BARRE, SON OF KAZAN," a Vitaphone Picture, With Wolf, the War Dog. Is an Adaptation of This Story

SYNOPSIS

In response to a request from McTaggart, the factor, Pierrot, the trapper left his cabin and went to the post to help in the general store for a few days. But McTaggart did not go on a business trip as he had said, but to Pierrot's cabin, where he found Nepeese, the trapper's daughter, alone. Barre, the wolf-dog, jumped up to attack the factor, but with a shot from McTaggart's automatic the dog fell in a heap. Then the factor gathered Nepeese in his arms while she struggled desperately.

CHAPTER XX.—Continued

And Nepeese fought. She twisted in his arms until she was facing him. She could no longer see. She was smothered in her hair. It covered her face and breast and body, suffocating her, entangling her hands and arms—and still she fought. In the struggle McTaggart stumbled over the body of Barre, and they went down. Nepeese was up fully five seconds ahead of the man. She could have reached the door. But again it was her hair. She paused to fling back the thick mass of it so that she could see, and McTaggart was at the door ahead of her.

He did not lock it again, but stood facing her. His face was scratched and bleeding. He was no longer a man but a devil. Nepeese was broken, panting—a low sobbing came with her breath. She bent down and picked up a piece of firewood. McTaggart could see that her strength was almost gone.

She clutched the stick as he approached her again. But McTaggart had lost all thought of fear or caution. He sprang upon her like an animal. The stick of firewood fell. And again fate played against the girl. In her terror and hopelessness she had caught up the first stick her hand had touched—a light one. With her last strength she struck at McTaggart with it, and as it fell on his head, he staggered back. But it did not make him loose his hold.

Valiantly she was fighting now, not to strike him or to escape, but to get her breath. She tried to cry out again, but this time no sound came from between her gasping lips.

Again he laughed, and as he laughed he heard the door open. Was it the wind? He turned, still holding her in his arms.

In the open door stood Pierrot.

CHAPTER XXI.

During that terrible space which followed an eternity of time rolled slowly through the little cabin on the Gray Loon—that eternity which lies somewhere between life and death and which is sometimes meted out to a human life in seconds instead of eons. In those seconds Pierrot did not move from where he stood in the doorway. McTaggart, huddled over with the weight in his arms, and staring at Pierrot, did not move. But the Willow's eyes were opening. And a convulsive quiver ran through the body of Barre, where he lay near the wall. There was not the sound of a breath.



Why Suffer With Itching Rashes

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Now he had only strength left to pull the trigger. Twice his forefinger closed. Twice there came deadened explosion close to Pierrot's body.

In Pierrot's face Nepeese saw what had happened. Her heart died in her breast as she looked upon the swift and terrible change wrought by sudden death. Slowly Pierrot straightened. His eyes were wide for a moment—wide and staring. He made no sound. She could not see his lips move. And then he fell toward her, so that McTaggart's body was free. Blindly and with an agony that gave no evidence in cry or word, she flung herself down beside him. He was dead.

How long Nepeese lay there, how long she waited for Pierrot to move, to open his eyes, to breathe, she would never know. In that time McTaggart rose to his feet and stood leaning against the wall, the pistol in his hand, his brain clearing itself as he saw his final triumph. His work did not frighten him. Even in that tragic moment as he stood against the wall, his defense—if it ever came to a defense—framed itself in his mind. Pierrot had murderously assaulted him—without cause. In self-defense he had killed him. Was he not the Factor of Lac Bain? Would not the Company and the law believe his word before that of this girl? His brain leaped with the old exultation. It would never come to that—to a betrayal of this struggle and death in the cabin—after he had finished with her! She would not be known for all time as La Bete Noir. No, they would bury Pierrot, and she would return to Lac Bain with him. If she had been helpless before, she was ten times more helpless now. She would never tell of what happened in the cabin.

He forgot the presence of death as he looked at her, bowed over her father so that her hair covered him like a silken shroud. He replaced the pistol in its holster and drew a deep breath into his lungs. He was still a little unsteady on his feet, but his face was again the face of a devil. He took a step, and it was then there came a sound to rouse the girl. In the shadow of the farther wall Barre had struggled to his haunches, and now he growled.

Slowly Nepeese lifted her head. A power which she could not resist drew her eyes up until she was looking into the face of Bush McTaggart. She had almost lost consciousness of his presence; her senses were cold and deadened—it was as if her own heart had stopped beating along with Pierrot's. (To be continued)

Many people are almost crippled with corns. But it is needless suffering which can be speedily ended with Holloway's Corn Remover.

The Arts of Peace

Krupps' Cannon Factory Is Now Making Typewriters

No half-way measures at disarmament will suit Germany, she asserts. The Krupp Works have converted their big Bertha plant into a factory for typewriters and baby carriages. Deutsches Werke, near Berlin, is making beds and cigarette lighters, instead of ammunition. The Heligoland fort has been razed.

Now the government has gone one better by converting the former submarine harbor at Heligoland to a lobster hatchery. The building which formerly housed torpedoes, fuel and submarine supplies has a sign: "Biological Institute."

The reason the government is taking an interest in the lobsters' welfare is that they are selling for four dollars a pound in Berlin.

For Sprains and Bruises.—There is nothing better for sprains and contusions than Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It will reduce the swelling that follows a sprain, will cool the inflamed flesh and draw the pain. It will take the ache out of a bruise by counteracting the inflammation. A trial will convince any who doubt its power.

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All mail and freight for Cecilville and upper Salmon River country is delivered by mule train along the trail. Roscoe and Archie Farnsworth, Salmon River miners, were unwilling to wait for two years necessary for the completion of the mountain wagon road which the forest service is building.

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Temple On China's Great Wall

Erected By Emperor In Memory Of Pious Woman

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Chih Huang-ti, the emperor who united all China, came to the throne 246 B.C. It was Chih who built the Great Wall to keep the country together.

A woman from the south, so the legend runs, brought cotton-wadded clothes for her man, who had been impressed by the emperor to build the wall. She was told that her husband had died, and that she could not have his body because he had been thrown between the brick facings of the wall and crushed the under tons of rubble and earth.

The woman persuaded a comrade of her husband to show her the stretch of wall where the body of her husband lay. Three days and three nights there after she walked up and down that length, until the compassion the divine power was excited by her lamentations, and that part of the wall collapsed.

The scandal came to the ears of the emperor, who recognized, beneath the tyranny, that the conduct of the woman had been most orthodox. To regularize the matter, he directed that she be admitted to his household. First, however, he granted her prayer that she be permitted to select the bones of her husband for more deliberate burial.

The woman gathered up her husband's bones and walked the end of the wall, abutting on the sea, from which, before the guards could stop her, she cast the bones into the sea and herself after them.

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Study In the Morning

Students at the University of California are forsaking the midnight oil for the daylight dawn. The latest time for preparing for lessons is from 4 a.m. to 7 a.m. A girl student, discovering the efficiency of studying just before approaching classes rather than at night after returning from social functions started the new scheme.

A safe and sure medicine for a child troubled with worms is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Lightly Speaking

"Which am de most usefulest, Ebon, de sun or de moon?"
"Why, de moon, of course."
"How come de moon?"
"Kase de moon, he shine in de night when we need de light, but de sun, he shine in de day when, light am ob no consequence."—Brown Jug.

Her Nerves Were "All Broken Up" She Could Not Sleep

Mrs. David Gallagher, 37 Lyndhurst Ave., Hamilton, Ont., writes:—"My nerves were all broken up and I could not sleep at night, and I would have to get up out of bed and walk the floor for hours at a time."

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Assisted Passage Plan Proves Successful

Officials Report Young Women Are Paying Loans in Full

The natural honesty of women has been well demonstrated in the success that has attended the plan of bringing Old Country girls to Saskatchewan under the assisted passage scheme, remarks J. J. Kelso, superintendent of neglected children for Ontario. Officials of Saskatchewan brought over 591 young women, and of this number 539 have repaid their loans in full, and the balance have paid a large proportion of the money advanced. Altogether the province of Saskatchewan paid out \$49,723 and has received back \$49,433. The records show that 268 of the young women are in country positions, 169 in city employment, 35 have gone to other provinces while 10 are still in the home district.

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Queen Insured Doll's House

Only Object in Castle Which Is Protected Against Fire

The room housing the Queen's doll's house at Windsor Castle has been closed to the public until the spring. Thousands have visited the doll's house during the past three months, including hundreds of Americans. The Queen continues to take the keenest interest in the house, which is the only object in the castle insured against fire or other damage. The castle contains many treasures of such immense value that insurance is out of the question.

Servant Misunderstood

A servant girl, shortly after taking a new position, was found by the mistress of the house dusting the pictures in the gallery. "Now, Mary," said the mistress, "I want you to take particular care in dusting these pictures, for they are all old masters." "Lord, ma'am," ejaculated Mary, "you don't say so. I never thought that you had been married all them times."—The Argonaut.

An Undeclared Champion

Already the proud bearer of many blue ribbons and an undefeated champion throughout his show career, "King of the Fairies," snow white Shorthorn bull belonging to the Prince of Wales, has added another blue ribbon to his string. Judges at the 26th annual International Livestock Exposition, Chicago, awarded him the blue ribbon of the class born before June 1, 1922.

The Russian Barabaschoff at the Kharko observatory reports the discovery of a new comet. The comet and its tail are visible through low power lenses.

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TO INSPECT CUSTOMS PORTS

Special inspection is underway of all the larger Canadian Customs ports, so word comes from Ottawa.

These special inspections, Mr. Boivin, Minister of Customs and Excise said, would be made not only for the purpose of detecting and correcting any irregularities in the transactions at the different ports, but the inspectors also would suggest any changes that could be made in the present procedure "to facilitate the performance of the work and to give the public the most courteous and efficient service consistent with the proper protection of customs and excise revenue."

Mayor C. A. Barber of Chilliwack has announced his retirement from civic politics. Mr. Barber, who has usefully served three consecutive terms as Chilliwack's chief executive will devote himself entirely to his publishing and printing business.

ONLY ONE CONTEST IN SUMAS

But one contest developed on nomination day in Sumas, making necessary an election to decide whether G. B. Bolster or Angus Gillis shall hold the council seat in Ward Two. The Reeve and councillors of other wards were elected by acclamation, as were school trustees and police commissioners.

A. Greens has just completed a new residence on his place, bordering the Chilliwack road.

Mr. Corbet from California has rented the 80-acre farms of Mr. Widsten, Mr. Ough and P. P. Lee and will crop entire 240-acres this spring.

Mr. B. McPhail of Sumas Prairie has acquired a new closed car, thus making sure of a dependable conveyance from the district for the time when the tax collector arrives.

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Curfew Delivered From French

The word curfew is from the French "couvre feu," cover fire or put out fire. The curfew bell law was revived or introduced into England by William I. of Normandy, the Conqueror, in 1063. On the ringing of the bell at 8 o'clock in the evening all fires and candles were to be extinguished.

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MATSQUI ELECTORS ISSUED PRELIMINARY BALANCE SHEET

A preliminary financial statement of Matsqui municipality was issued on Monday (nomination day) showing road expenditures in the various wards, totals of which were as follows: Ward 1, \$6,029.54; Ward 2, \$5,452.40; Ward 3, \$6,915.56; Ward 4, \$4,460.64. A complete balance sheet was not presented by the auditor, T. H. Ingram, C.A., who is verifying all documents and data in an effort to present a comprehensive report at an early date. A point stressed in favor of the 1925 Council was reduction to the amount of \$8,000 of the interest-bearing liabilities. Claiming pressure from its borrowing sources, the Council has practiced rigid economy during the past year to bring its overdraft down to a figure required by the bank.

MACCABEES HOLD CEREMONY

The Orange hall was the scene of a pretty ceremony on Thursday evening when the officers-elect of Abbotsford Review No. 20, W.B.A. of the Maccabees were installed in the presence of the members of the association and invited guests to the number of 45. Mrs. Giddens, Commander of the New Westminster Review fulfilled the duties of installing officers, assisted by Mrs. Brown, chaplain; Mrs. Veddiss and Mrs. Frenzen as Ladies of Ceremony, all members of Vancouver Review, as was Mrs. Hetherington, who was also present.

Under the direction of Miss A. McCrimmon, captain, the guard team of 20 members presented the "Floor work" in a creditable manner, looking pretty in their uniforms of white with sashes, and carrying spears. They and their captain were highly complimented. Officers installed included: Commander, Mrs. Stady; Lieut.-Com., Mrs. Roberts; Past Com., Mrs. Shore; Chaplain, Mrs. Coombs; Record-keeper, Mrs. Wilson; Collector, Mrs. Taylor; Finance-keeper, Mrs. J. Wilson; Lady-at-Arms, Mrs. P. Wilson; Sergeant, Mrs. Murphy; Sentinel, Mrs. Heller; Picket, Mrs. Leary; Musician, Mrs. Ralston; Capt. of Guards, Miss McCrimmon; Color Bearers, Mrs. White and Mrs. Doutar; Ensigns, Mrs. Winton and Miss Mae Wilson.

The installing officer, Mrs. Giddens, was tendered a token of appreciation for her kindness in attending, as were also the Chaplain and Ladies of Ceremony. Members of the Guard presented their captain, Miss McCrimmon with a small gift in recognition of her work. The re-elected Commander and Mrs. Taylor, the Collector, were also remembered with complimentary tokens. A banquet followed the ceremonies and short addresses were given by the visiting ladies. Informal dancing brought the evening to a close.

A meeting of M. S. A. Hospital W. A. will be held in the Masonic hall on Wednesday next.



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Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emption is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series. "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 5,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emption are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emption must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of \$10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price for first-class (arable) land is \$5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land \$2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a company.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partly free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.

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MRS. KELLOCK DIES

The death occurred, on Saturday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. D. D. Duguid, McKenzie road, of Mrs. Agnes Kellock, widow of the late John Kellock, late of Newark, N.J. and formerly of Loches, Scotland.

Deceased, who was 62 years of age, had been in poor health for some time, and her passing was not unexpected. Remaining to mourn their loss are two sisters, Mrs. D. D. Duguid and Miss Kate Cummings, both of Abbotsford.

The funeral was held from the residence of Mrs. Duguid on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. T. S. Paton officiating. Interment was made in the Hazelwood cemetery.

Mrs. Liggins and Mrs. Laxton, who have both been very ill are reported as improving.

From the "Post" file just 12 years ago

Mr. M. E. Scotts and bride returned home on Tuesday last and were warmly welcomed at the station by their numerous friends.

The Ladies Aid met at Mrs. Thomas' on Wednesday and among other business transacted engaged Mr. J. Hutchinson to build a verandah at the rear of the Manse.

A meeting of the Abbotsford-Sumas Agricultural Association will be held in the Masonic hall on Monday, Jan. 19

Nominations for Sumas took place today and resulted as follows: Acclamation Ex-Reeve Munroe, Luther Lamson, Wd. 4, T. B. Straiton, Ward 3, Elmer Austin Ward 2; also T. B. Straiton, E. Austin and L. Munroe acclaimed school trustees. A contest will take place in ward 1 between W. J. Fraser and J. McKenzie in Matsqui Municipality.

For Reeve: W. Merryfield, C. Hill-Tout. For Ward 1: Cr. Melander, Phil Jackson. For Ward 2, Cr. Satchell, W. J. Marsh. Ward 3, Cr. Frederickson, A. McCallum. Ward 4, W. Elliott, R. Beaton. A plebiscite is to be taken on election day to decide whether Matsqui municipality should have a high school and whether it should be located in Abbotsford.

The Abbotsford Christie Minstrels, who gave such a splendid performance in Abbotsford recently are booked to repeat the show at Mt. Lehman on Jan. 16.

Married—at the home of the bride's parents, Clearbrook road, on Jan. 7th, Mary Higginson, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Higginson, to Mr. Benjamin Murphy of Peardonville.

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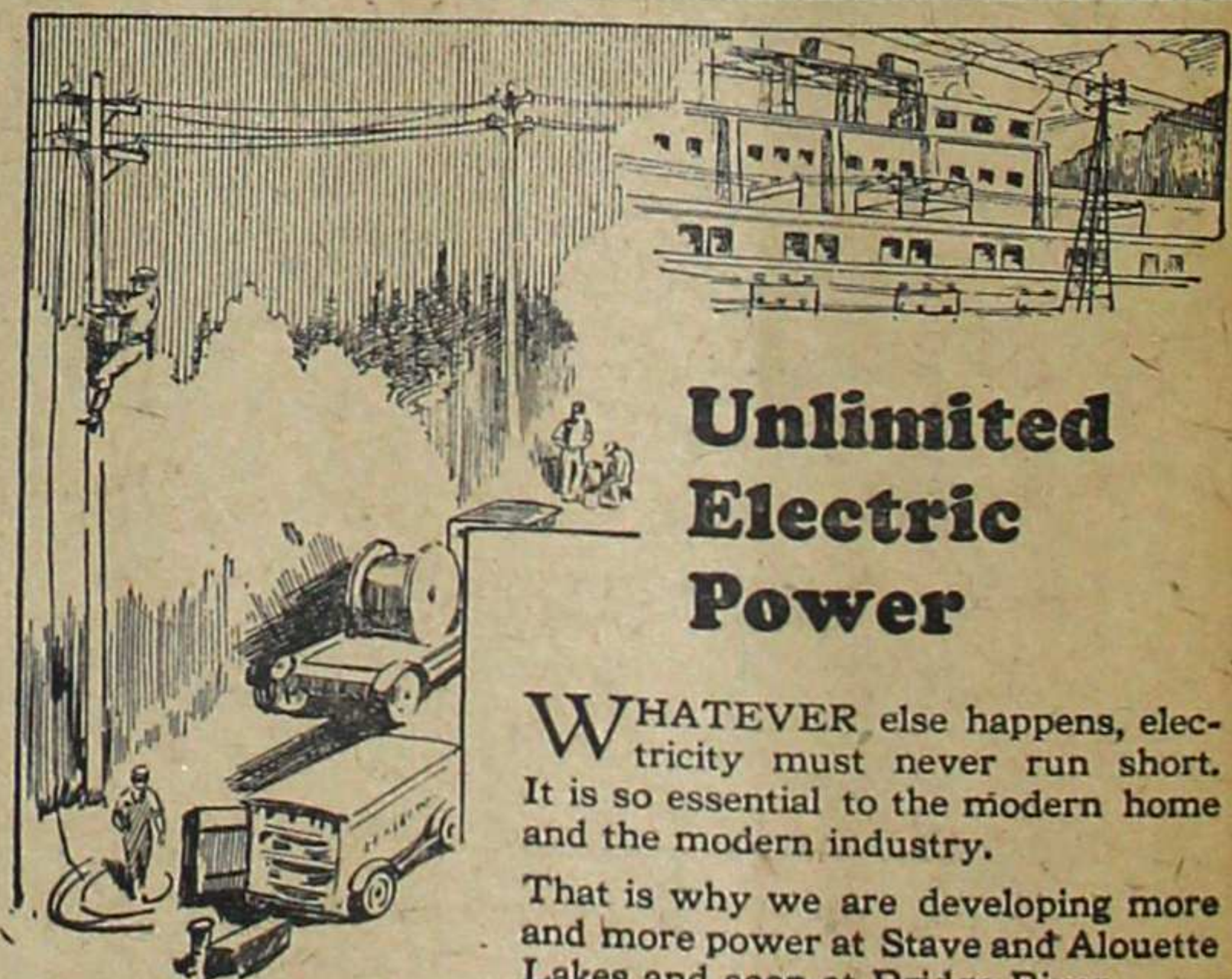
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ABBOTSFORD

Abbotsford boys' basketball team visited Sardis on Saturday and emerged victors in a close game with the score 23-20. Abbotsford's Intermediate 'A' team has lost but one game to date this season.

Mrs. C. Wallace has been notified of the death of her sister, Mrs. Isabella Cameron, at Hamilton, Texas, who died suddenly on Jan. 7. The late Mrs. Cameron visited Abbotsford several years ago, and was visited in turn by Mr. and Mrs. Wallace in 1924.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Thompson have returned home from a short visit to Armstrong, where they were guests of Mr. Thompson's brother, James Thompson. The latter makes for the P. Burns company the well-known Nogo brand of butter in quantities of 1,600 pounds daily.

Rev. J. H. Bury spent Sunday in Victoria with the Nazarenes in that city. Village Commissioner Webster was confined to bed with influenza for a few days last week.

Nurse Walker of Marpole was a guest of Rev. and Mrs. Paton at the Manse during the week.

Mr. John Pringle of Vancouver is a guest of his sister Mrs. J. Stady.

The old time dance held in the Orange Hall last Saturday was well-attended. Master Leonard McNabb of Perdu, Sask. and a former resident of Abbotsford renewed old friendships here this week.

Word has been received by relatives here that Raymond Weir, a former resident, is now assistant manager of Tamblin's (Toronto) newest and largest drug store at Orchard Park Rd. Tablins operate a chain of 42 drug stores in Ontario.

They "Discovered" British Columbia

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Jones and three children of Aberdeen, Sask. have taken up residence in Chilliwack and will spend the winter here. The family came out to Vancouver with the intention of remaining there for the winter, but after two weeks spent in the fog which has prevailed there during the past few weeks decided to return to the Prairie. They dropped off here to spend a day with Mr. A. J. Andrews and were so pleased with the climate and the attractive appearance of the city that within 24 hours they had rented and furnished a house, and remained for the winter months. —Chilliwack Progress

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11 a.m.—Subject: "Thy Kingdom Come"

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A splendid school and churches of various denominations; yet Matsqui has not grown as it should. Why? Well, a word to the wise is sufficient.

Back up your own town and influence your neighbors to do the same. Do your shopping in your own town; this will enable the storekeeper to keep larger and better assorted stock, the butcher to keep a better selection of meats and the garageman to keep fuller equipment. Let every housewife and farmer stay with Matsqui and you watch it grow.

Matsqui village is in the centre of 11,000 acres of settled farm lands of the very best kind. The storekeepers are endeavoring to build up the town by successfully competing against the larger outside concerns in price, service and quality. It is therefore the duty of every right-thinking (in fact every) farmer to help them by home-trading and thus place MATSQUI on the map in very large letters.

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The A. S. & M. News

The L.T.B. lodge is giving a whist drive and dance in the Orange hall on January 16.

Mrs. R. Powell and children of Sumas was the guest of Mrs. McMillan.

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SEVERAL NEW FORDS SOLD LOCALLY

Several 1926 model Ford cars have been sold in the district by Mat. Anderson of Matsqui, representative of the Mission Motors, Ltd. including the following:

Sedan, 1926 model, to Milton Switzer owner of Variety Sales, Abbotsford.

Coupe, 1926 model, to George McDonald, high-rigger at the A. L. M. & D. Co. camp.

Roadster, 1926 model, to Gordon Pearson, Peardonville.

Coupe, 1926 model, to G. Berner, Matsqui, farmer.

Also a truck to Mr. Andrews at Aldergrove.

Since Mat. Anderson ranks first for 1925 sales among both city and country salesman connected with the Vancouver Ford distributing agency, it appears necessary to sound due warning that this high-pressure Ford specialist is winding himself up for his 1926 campaign in his home district.

TO INSPECT CUSTOMS PORTS

Special inspection is underway of all the larger Canadian Customs ports, so word comes from Ottawa.

These special inspections, Mr. Boivin, Minister of Customs and Excise said, would be made not only for the purpose of detecting and correcting any irregularities in the transactions at the different ports, but the inspectors also would suggest any changes that could be made in the present procedure "to facilitate the performance of the work and to give the public the most courteous and efficient service consistent with the proper protection of customs and excise revenue."

Mayor C. A. Barber of Chilliwack has announced his retirement from civic politics. Mr. Barber, who has usefully served three consecutive terms as Chilliwack's chief executive will devote himself entirely to his publishing and printing business.

ONLY ONE CONTEST IN SUMAS

But one contest developed on nomination day in Sumas, making necessary an election to decide whether G. B. Bolster or Angus Gillis shall hold the council seat in Ward Two. The Reeve and councillors of other wards were elected by acclamation, as were school trustees and police commissioners.

A. Greeno has just completed a new residence on his place, bordering the Chilliwack road.

Mr. Corbet from California has rented the 80-acre farms of Mr. Widsten, Mrs. Gillis and P. P. Lee and will crop-win the entire 240-acre this spring.

Mr. B. McPhail of Sumas Prairie has acquired a new closed car, thus making sure of a dependable conveyance from the district for the time when the tax collector arrives.

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tuency at the session of the Dominion Parliament. Mrs. Barber accompanied her husband east.

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Peace On Earth; Goodwill Toward Men

This is the season when the old Christmas song of the angels, "Peace on earth, good-will toward men," will be sung throughout the world, when from press and pulpit the glories of peace and good-will among all men and nations will be proclaimed, when exhortations will be voiced urging all people by precept and the force of example to do what lies in their power to promote these essential qualities at home and abroad.

Perhaps never before in the world's history did there exist a more earnest and widespread desire for international peace and good-will, and the greatest and most outstanding evidences of this is to be found in the signing of the Locarno treaties, and in the growing influence of the League of Nations.

There is also in evidence in many countries, and happily so in Canada, a larger and freer spirit of tolerance. More and more there is developing a willingness among people to let bygones be bygones, to accord to others that same liberty of thought in matters of language, religion, politics, and racial customs which one demands for oneself. Canadians generally are not now concerning themselves with petty issues as to whether their neighbors of foreign birth continue to make use of their mother tongue, or worship God in some manner different from their own. There is, in Canada, a growing acceptance of a man for his own character and qualities quite apart from his racial origin, the language he speaks, or the altar at which he worships. The general recognition and acceptance of such views is essential to the development of peace and good-will.

Unfortunately, there is a contrary of the world where, as yet, this spirit does not hold away; where, on the contrary, all the old racial, lingual and religious animosities are flaming, and still threaten the peace of the world. The reference is to that group of small independent nations in Southeastern Europe known as the Balkan States. For the past three-quarters of a century, or more, this conglomerate mixture of races and religions has disturbed the peace of Europe, and hardly a year passes without the threat of a new conflagration. While the great nations of the world are anxiously striving for peace, these little States remain hot beds of suspicion and intrigue, seemingly ever anxious to fly at each other. Their populations have become so mixed that in each country there are racial and religious minorities always stirring up trouble and giving excuse for the enforcement of oppressive policies and acts of ruthlessness against them.

It was not a pretty nor encouraging picture of the situation in the Balkans which was drawn by Hugh Edwards, M.P. in the British House of Commons, in an address delivered before the Women's Canadian Club of Montreal, on the occasion of the meeting of the Inter-Parliamentary Union at Ottawa. Contrasting the spirit and policy of the British Empire in its treatment of minorities, Mr. Edwards said:

"The fierce and vehement discussion which took place in the Inter-Parliamentary Union meeting at Ottawa has made it very evident that these little Balkan States have not yet laid to heart the agonizing memories of the late war. The Balkan Peninsula is still a seething cauldron of fierce, racial antagonisms; and unless some magic change is soon wrought in the temper of these little states it will not be long before the pot boils over again and drenches Europe once more with blood. We all rejoiced in the signing of that treaty with Germany at Locarno. It makes war impossible in the west of Europe. I am uneasy for the East, when I find these little states showing such bitterness and such fierce racial antagonisms."

Similar feelings retarded Canada's progress in the past. On more than one occasion great national questions were decided, not on their merits, but as the result of the most unworthy and sinister racial and religious propaganda. A better day has dawned in this Dominion, and the people will no longer countenance appeals of this nature. But Canada's interests require the removal of all such danger spots throughout the world. Our people may not be able directly to do anything very effective in the Balkans, but Canadians can by staunch support of the League of Nations, and by a friendly and brotherly attitude towards such of these Balkan peoples as have come to live in Canada, help materially to develop a right spirit and thus assist to overcome these old antagonisms. These newcomers in Canada will pass on the word to their friends and relatives in their former Balkan homes that there is a better way, while the League of Nations offers the only hope through which official and organized action can be taken among the Balkan peoples themselves.

An Interesting Invention

Scotch Linen Weaver Has Treadmill Driven By Mice

In a certain town in Scotland is an interesting historical invention of a linen weaver, by the name of David Hutton. It is a miniature treadmill to be driven by mice. The treadmill was connected to a rough machine designed for the purpose of spinning

sewing thread. Records relate how in this way the ingenious Scotchman made a clear profit of 6s. per mouse per year. Indeed, he suggested building 10,000 similar mouse-mills, which would yield a profit of £2,300 per annum, but the project fell through.

Heavy Fire Losses

Says the Annual Fire Loss in Canada and U. S. is \$558,000,000

The board of directors of the International Association of Fire Chiefs and Engineers, headed by Chief James Armstrong, of Kingston, president, went into executive session at Los Angeles to formulate an educational programme to reduce the enormous fire losses in the United States and Canada.

Chief Armstrong declared that "education is the only solution of the problem, which involves a yearly fire loss of \$558,000,000 and which still is growing."

Early as 1500 A.D., goldfish were brought to Japan from China.

Minard's Liniment for chilblains

New Industry At Coast

Raising Pedigree Rabbits Is Fast Becoming Paying Industry

A little-noticed industry, but one that bids fair to attain large proportions on Vancouver Island, is rising almost in the middle of the city and around suburban homes—pedigree rabbit rearing. On the Saanich Peninsula alone there are now more than twenty rabbitries, some already operating on a large scale, and others fast growing to sizable proportions.

While the production of thoroughbred rabbits for stock purposes is at present the most paying end of the modern rabbitry business, the possibilities of fur-raising and meat production loom large on the market side of the industry now in its infant stages compared to the proportions it has reached in other countries.

It may come as a surprise to the layman to learn that a thoroughbred rabbit brings \$100 to \$200 in the market for breeding purposes, and that it is a common thing for certain breeds to attain a weight of from fifteen to eighteen pounds.

The growing demand for furs for women's dresses and other uses has led to a great increase in the use of dyed furs. The rabbit supplies a very large percentage of the artificially prepared furs, passing under trade names.

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When a child shows the first symptoms of a cold, such as sneezing, redness of the eyes, clogged or running nose, prompt measures for relief may avert serious results. Mothers should always have on hand some simple, safe and effective remedy for immediate use.

Baby's Own Tablets act quickly contain no opiates or narcotics, are tasteless and harmless. Mrs. Joseph Cadieux, Holyoke, Mass., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for my children and find them a very satisfactory medicine. When my little boy had a cold I gave him the Tablets at night and he was well next day. I give them to the children for constipation and they always do good. I think Baby's Own Tablets are much easier to give a child than liquid medicine. I recommend the Tablets to all mothers who have small children and believe they should always be kept on hand."

Baby's Own Tablets are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Discovers New Metal

One-Third As Heavy As Bronze, Brass Or Iron, Much Stronger

The discovery of a new metal one-third as heavy as bronze, brass or cast iron, and three times as strong as any of them, has been reported from the University of Kentucky. The discoverer, Mr. Harold McLean, is an Orillia old boy, and his parents and other relatives still live in that town. Mr. McLean has been doing research work on his venture for nine years, and, beyond saying that the materials for the new metal are plentiful, has not divulged his formula to anyone, according to The Orillia Packet.

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Big Real Estate Sale

One of the biggest real estate deals in London's history was completed when Lord Howard de Walden sold 40 acres of London property for a reported sum of \$15,000,000. The acreage includes some of the richest and some of the poorest streets in the west end of London.

The history of Iceland for the past 1,000 years records no more than two cases of theft.

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Disarmament Is Only Solution

Locarno Pact Merely Marks Beginning Of European Peace

What is to come after Locarno? This is the question the British press and public are asking. Ramsay MacDonald and Lloyd George, both former premiers, Viscount Cecil and Austen Chamberlain, the foreign secretary, have repeatedly stated that the Locarno pact, which was signed Dec. 1, merely marks the beginning of Europe's peace. It settles the differences between France and Germany but the other European states and Great Britain now need guarantees against war.

Disarmament is conceded to be the only solution, but how this can be effected with safety and justice to all is a burning question.

Viscount Cecil indicated recently in the House of Lords that Britain was seriously considering a new disarmament conference and will shortly bring out disarmament plans of its own, but the difficulty of doing this is pointed out in the press, because of Britain's insular position and the resultant dangers she stands from enemy air and submarine forces. Though Germany and France are at peace, their air and undersea forces still menace the British Isles.

New Preference Rules Of New Zealand

Regulation Will Affect Canadian Assembly Branches of American Firms

New Zealand is doubling the percentage of British labor and materials required in imports under British preference rates. The present percentage of "British origin" required is twenty-five. The new regulations which come into force on April 1 next, require fifty.

The effect of this will be that Canadian goods exported to New Zealand will have to be fifty per cent. Canadian labor and materials, if they are to get the advantage of the British preference. The increase will particularly affect Canadian branches of American firms which are only assembling, or partly manufacturing, in Canada.

Heavy Grain Marketing

All records in the history of transportation of western crops were smashed on Monday, November 16th, when 3,126 cars were inspected at Winnipeg and other western points, whilst marketings totalled \$5,897,851 bushels.

The Retreat From Mons

Fine Tribute Paid To British By A Former Enemy

War thoughts bring to my mind a story for Britons it would be well that we should all know. The tale is told in Sir Almeric Fitzroy's "Memoirs," and speaks well, not alone for the British race, but for our late enemy as well. Indeed, we may ask whether a finer tribute has ever been paid to any country by a former enemy.

I quote the story in Sir Almeric's own words:

"When Colonel Stewart Roddlo met Von Kluck, at Berlin, in the spring of 1921, and held out his hand, Von Kluck stepped backwards, and raised his right hand as if in protest. Then he spoke: 'Herr Oberst, there is one thing I wish to say to you before I take your hand. It is something I have always intended to say to the first British officer I met after the war. In the whole history of the world there is, in my opinion, no military feat which has ever been excelled or equalled as that accomplished by the first British army in the last war.'"

Wayfarer in Overseas.

German Press Praises Chamberlain

The action of Sir Austen Chamberlain, the British foreign secretary, in branding as false the war-time story of a German "corpse factory" is characterized by the German press as a creditable and statesman-like act.

A German library which is to contain everything published in the German language since 1913 has been established in Leipzig.

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New Super Warship

Proposed Monster Which the British Admiralty Will Consider Building

A sensational new warship for Great Britain which is said not to violate the terms of the Washington disarmament treaty, has been designed by Sir George Thurston, a naval architect, who publishes the details in Brassey's annual.

Thurston's vessel is a composite ship which is designed to supersede both the capital ship and the aircraft carrier. This proposed new monster, which the admiralty will consider, is of 28,000 tons, mounts six sixteen-inch guns, has armor plate from ten to twelve inches thick, and a cruising speed of 26½ knots.

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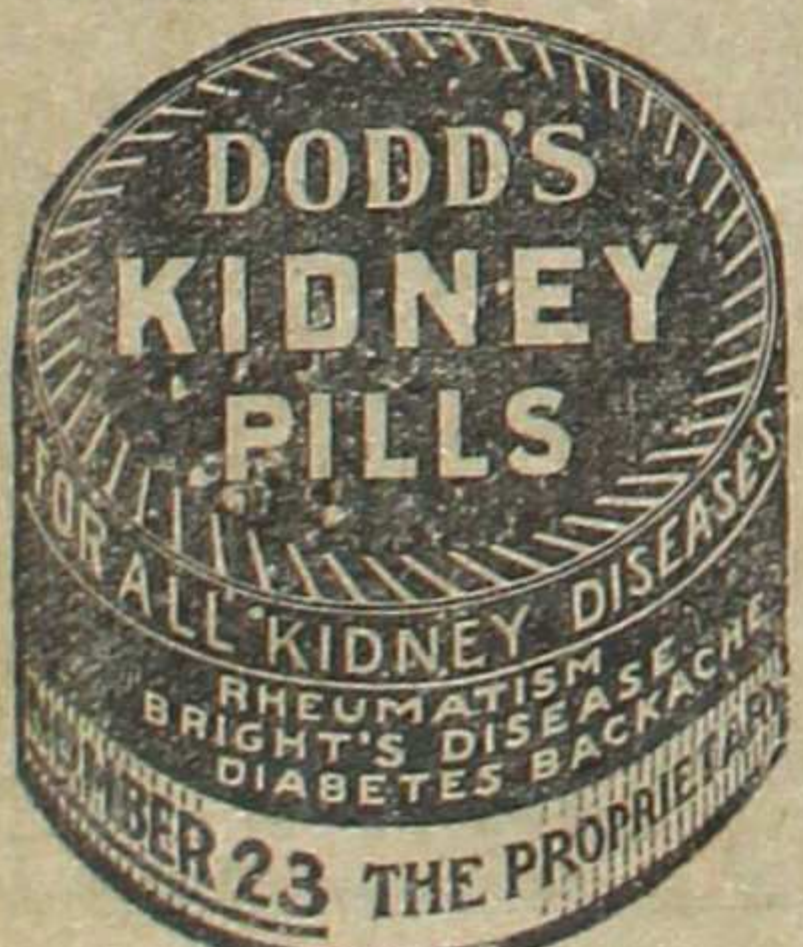
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Excellent Showing Made By Canada At The Chicago International Exhibition

While Canada failed to win the world's wheat prize this year at the International Hay and Grain Show, the crown was won by L. P. Yates, Fish-tail, Montana, with Marquis wheat, the seed of which came from the farm of Seager Wheeler, Rosthern, Saskatchewan, five times winner of the international wheat championship. In the fifteen years that the competition has been held Canada has won the most coveted honor of the show no less than thirteen times. Montana was the winner in 1921 with Marquis grown from Canadian seed. But the Dominion scored heavily this year also in the winning for hard spring wheat, carrying off twenty out of a possible thirty prizes. The highest score won by a Canadian went to W. J. Large, of Luseland, Saskatchewan, who was awarded a fourth, and Seager Wheeler came next.

Montana also carried off the first and second prizes for oats in Region one. George Avery, Kelso, Saskatchewan, was third. Western Canada took eleven out of the twenty-five prizes.

In the Livestock Exposition Canada has made notable victories, the outstanding being the grand championship for Shorthorn bulls going to "King of the Fairies" from the ranch of H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, at Pekisko, Alberta, which also was awarded the grand championship at this year's Royal Winter Fair in Toronto. Another signal victory in the Shorthorn classes went to T. A. Russell, Toronto, for "Waterloo Princess," a breeding Shorthorn, who was awarded a first prize.

As in other years at the International Show, Canada has again this year swept the boards for sheep, James Snell, Clinton, Ontario, winning most of the honors, taking a grand and reserve championship for Leicesters. Colonel Robert McEwen, of London, Ontario, was awarded the grand championship on a carload of sheep, the fourth time he has scored a similar victory at the International. Colonel McEwen has won more grand championships on sheep than any other sheep breeder in North America. F. B. Gaspell, of Hampton, Ontario, took a grand and reserve championship for Cotswold wethers and a number of other firsts.

The Manitoba Cartage and Warehouse Company, of Winnipeg, carried off first on "Bradwell" in the draft gelding class and "Prairie," owned by the same company, won a second in the two-year-old division of draft geldings.

The University of Saskatchewan won the grand and senior championships and first prize with "Greenmeadow Footstep," three-year-old Clydesdale stallion; also the first and junior championship with "Bonnie Craigie," two-year-old Clydesdale. The Saskatchewan University also won first in colts foals with "Bonnie Craigie," and second in yearlings with "Bonnie Fitzhugh." James Duggan, of Condie, Saskatchewan, won first and reserved championship with "Parkdale Fyvie." The winnings of the Saskatchewan horses include some of the most coveted victories in America.

Holland Wants Horse Meat

Surplus Alberta Equines May Be Used For This Purpose

The Alberta minister of agriculture has received a request from the minister of agriculture, Antwerp, Holland, for a sample shipment of 2,000 pounds horse meat. This is a result of several months' efforts on the part of the minister of agriculture to establish a market in Europe for surplus Alberta horses. It is expected that if this shipment is found satisfactory, a considerable market will be opened up. The price quoted is 60 a pound, f.o.b. Antwerp.

Want To Secure Early Patents

Thomas A. Edison and Henry Ford are among the 2,000 applicants for some of the 150,000 old patent office models now being sorted by a commission authorized by congress. Mr. Edison's request for originals of his earlier inventions covers five closely typewritten pages.

Mr. Ford wants to preserve models of mechanical engineering devices for study.

Humble Herring Getting Expensive

The humble herring, heretofore within the realm of the small salaried functionary and little bourgeois, is going the way of other commodities in the upward trend of prices. Before the war nearly 100 pounds of herring could be bought with five francs. At present this sum will purchase only a little over two pounds.

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Alberta Oil Situation

Large Area in Province Has Petroleum Possibilities

Dr. John Allan, professor of geology in the University of Alberta, in a comprehensive survey of the petroleum situation in Alberta, at the annual meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, gave the following summary: In the Alberta area, 235,000 square miles, of which approximately 80,000 square miles has petroleum possibilities, wells drilled to 1925 were about 95, wells completed about 15, and wells being drilled. August, 1925, 15. Oil production from Alberta 1915 to 1924 was 60,000 barrels. Present production from Royalite No. 4, Turner Valley, is about 500 barrels per day, very high gravity gasoline, 75 degrees Beaume. Possible production from British Petroleum Well No. 53b, Wainwright, is about 100 barrels per day.

Grapes in Southern Alberta

Resident of Raymond District Has Experimented With Considerable Success

Considerable success has been met with by J. H. Walker, a farmer of the Raymond, Alta., district, in the growing of grape vines. In 1922 Mr. Walker planted six vines. Last year the vines had attained a sturdy growth and produced a few ripe grapes. This year they again produced and the grapes ripened. No special care was given to the propagation of these vines and Mr. Walker is of the opinion that there is no reason why grapes cannot be successfully produced on a fairly large scale in Southern Alberta.

Remarkable Grain Transportation

C.P.R. Westbound Train Passes 31 Freight Trains in 38 Miles

An illustration of a remarkable grain movement now in progress on the Canadian Pacific Railway was furnished passengers on the Imperial Limited westbound one day recently. The run from Fort William to Molson, 378 miles, was made in schedule time, and in that distance and during that time the train passed on the double track 31 fully loaded eastbound freight trains, or a train every 21 minutes. These trains consisted of 1,850 loaded freight cars and it is estimated that in addition to other freight, they carried 2,750,000 bushels of grain.

Manitoba Sugar Beets

Brandon District Is Very Favorably Situated For Sugar Beet Culture

That the Brandon district provides excellent opportunity in the way of sugar beet growing is considered to have been fully demonstrated by the tests made by the board of trade recently. Samples of beets grown in the city and district this year were tested at the Manitoba Agricultural College and at the American Beet Sugar Company, Grand Forks, North Dakota. All tests were considered very favorable and further investigation and a larger programme in beet testing will be carried out by the board of trade next year.

Saskatchewan Wheat Pool

Seventy-one Per Cent. of Total Acreage Is Under Contract

It is reported that the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool has 69,000 contracts on file covering 9,331,000 acres of wheat, or 71 per cent. of the province's total acreage, compared with 51,000 contracts on file earlier in the year covering but 7,100,000 acreage. Business of \$77,000,000 was done through the wheat pool at an expense of but \$319,000.

Will See Cathedral 32 Miles

The University of Pennsylvania's 52-storey cathedral of learning, a structure of glistening limestone 680 feet above the Oakland district of Pittsburgh, will be visible to the naked eye for a distance of about 32 miles in all directions. The cathedral will house practically all the activities of the university.

Record For Corn Production

An Ohio farmer again has broken the world's record in corn production. Ira Marshall, of Dola, this year produced 1,600.1 bushels of corn on 10 acres, or 25.7 bushels an acre above the world's record established in 1922 by W. H. Gilmore, of Licking County.

Irascible Guest: "This room reminds me of a prison." Hotel Manager: "Really, sir? Well, of course, you may be right. I've never been in prison myself."

Manufacturing in the West

Prairie Provinces Are Steadily Increasing Output of Manufactured Goods

Manufacturing is steadily increasing in the prairie provinces, judging from the records covering the year 1922 and 1923 issued by the bureau of statistics. In Manitoba the industry displayed active growth. The number of establishments rose from 781 in 1922 to 803 in 1923; capital increased from \$88,779,517 to \$92,426,674; and the gross value of production from \$95,957,084 to \$97,334,531. The number of plants in Saskatchewan increased from 614 to 647; but the capital in the latter year was \$29,891,835, as against \$31,101,612, and the output fell from \$38,807,532 to \$34,337,801. In Alberta the number of establishments went up from 672 to 723; capital from \$55,514,624 to \$61,659,305; and the output from \$3,119,486 to \$54,337,801.

Saskatchewan Butter

Production Still Continues to Increase According to Reports of Dairy Commissioner

Butter production in Saskatchewan during the month of October amounted to 1,301,740 lbs., as compared with 1,138,914 lbs., in the same month last year, an increase of 14.2 per cent., according to a report issued by the provincial dairy commissioner. The cumulative production for the first ten months of the current year totalled 14,487,623 lbs., as against 12,198,264 lbs., in the corresponding period of last year, an increase of 2,289,359 lbs., or 18.7 per cent.

Manitoba Building Stone

Acknowledged to be Superior to Any Other Building Stone Quarried on the Continent

That Manitoba building stone from the quarries at Tyndall is superior to all other building stone quarried on the continent, not excluding even Bedford stone, was the unanimous opinion expressed by geologists and engineering experts from all over the Dominion gathered at Winnipeg, who urged the local institute to take steps to make this product known nationally and include samples of it in all exhibits in Canada of a mineral character.

Mr. Blank, in characterizing a former employee who is now a rival and competitor, said: "Why, he's a sharp, a thief and a liar, and I taught him all he knows."

The Fuel Situation

No Prospect Yet of Serious Coal Shortage in Canada

Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of mines, stated that the Dominion fuel board had been keeping in close touch with the domestic fuel situation as affected by the strike in the United States anthracite field, and has just completed an intensive survey of the stocks of domestic fuel on hand. In this survey the board has had the full co-operation of the dealers, and has obtained from them a statement of the stocks on hand as well as the stocks which have been delivered to consumers. As a result the government is in possession of full information regarding our present situation in Ontario and Quebec and the amount of fuel that still has to be obtained to complete our year's requirements.

The survey indicates that a great many householders have taken advantage of the ample warnings of a possible shortage of anthracite by laying in a winter's supply early in the season. It indicates also that importations of the British anthracite have been heavier than ever before and that coke is being very widely used as a substitute for American anthracite. Most dealers are carrying various grades of sized and screened bituminous coal suitable for domestic use.

While there is at present no prospect of a serious shortage of coal, the minister stated, yet as an insurance against the possibility of the anthracite strike extending to the bituminous fields consumers should not hesitate to purchase supplies of any substitutes that may be secured. At the same time, as a further insurance, steps are being taken to arrange with the railways for the rapid movement, if necessary, of coal from Alberta and the Maritime Provinces into the provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

Volcanic Ash in Western Canada

Volcanic ash is found in large beds in several localities in Southern British Columbia. It has also been reported recently from near Swift Current, Saskatchewan. Material from the Saskatchewan deposit is already being used as an ingredient in scouring soaps and other cleansing compounds.

There are times when the philosopher is unable to derive any real comfort from his philosophy.

An unsuccessful marriage proposal resembles an expected sneeze that failed to come off.

Northern Wheat Limit Has Been Forced Back By Early Maturing Seed

Registered Seed

Success Attained in Western Canada Has Been Noted By Eastern Farmers

The success of registered seed grain production which has been demonstrated in recent years by local organizations of seed growers in the three prairie provinces, is now being noticed by seed growers in Eastern Canada, and recently there came into being in Ontario and New Brunswick two local organizations of registered seed grain growers. These are the Kempenville Seed Barley Growers' Association, specializing barley, and the Fredericton District Co-operative Seed Growers' Association, to specialize in Banner and Victory oats.

Canada's Trade Increases

Notable Increase Is Shown in Trade Returns For Seven Months Ended October

Canada's total trade increased \$197,000,000 during the seven months ended October, according to government returns, this increase being in comparison to the figures for the corresponding seven months of the previous fiscal year. The grand total of Canada's trade for the seven months of 1925 is \$1,255,909,438 and the increase is accountable to \$129,000,000 in export trade and \$68,000,000 in import trade.

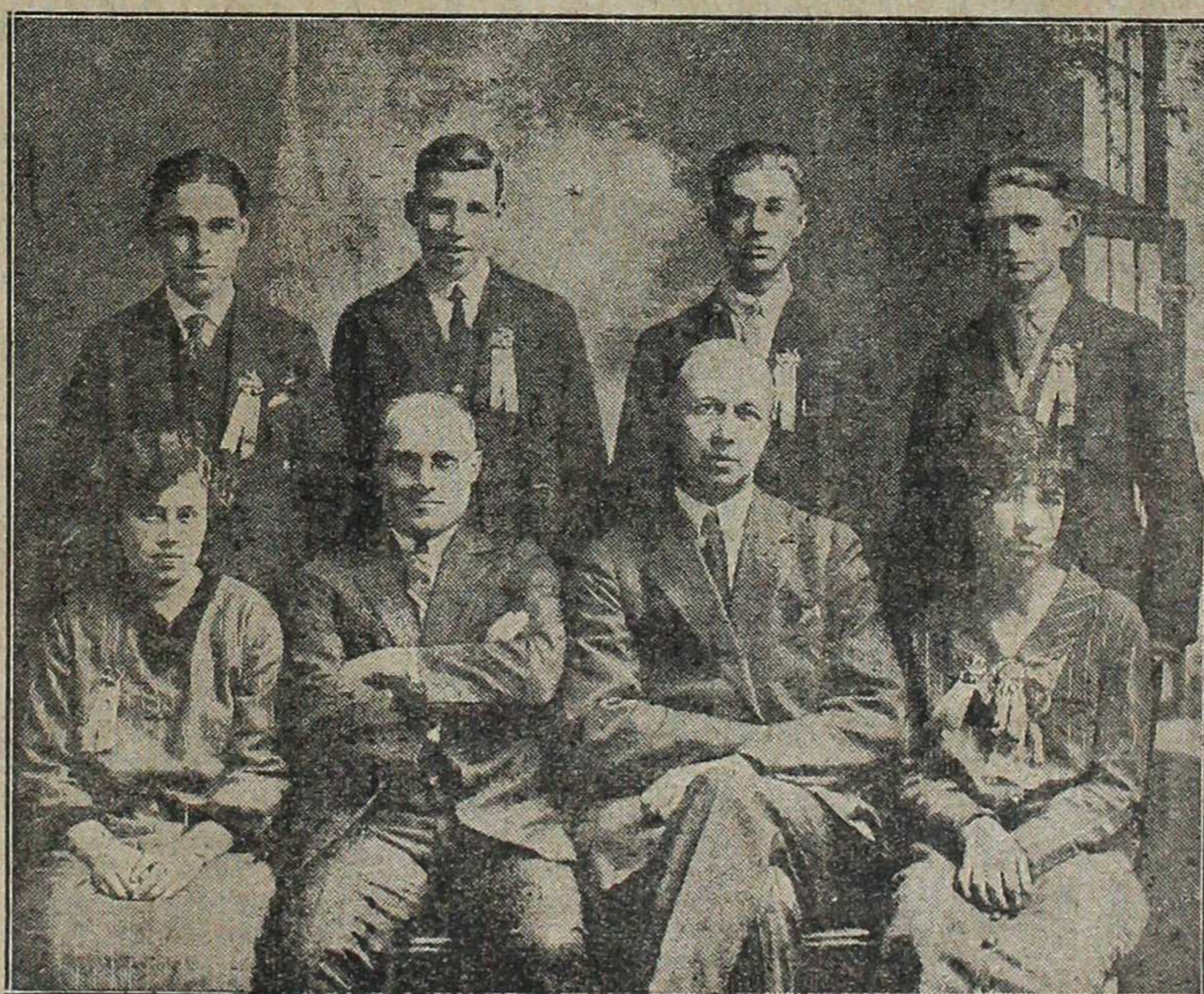
Prairie Fisheries

Increase in Value of Catch For Two Out of Three Provinces

Increases in the value of the product of the commercial fisheries of two out of three prairie provinces of Canada were recorded in 1924, according to the Dominion bureau of statistics, the grand total reaching \$2,054,162. Manitoba accounted for \$1,232,563, Saskatchewan \$482,492, and Alberta \$339,107. Alberta showed a decrease of \$99,650. Whitefish accounted for 42 per cent. of the total value and pickerel for 28 per cent.

The letters suggested for a new radio plant in the west are EVE. "In honor of the first broadcasting station," remarks a cynical editor.

YOUNG SWINE RAISERS AT TORONTO SHOW



At the termination of the Canadian National Railways Bacon Hog Competition, open to members of boys' and girls' clubs, which was one feature of the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair at Toronto, Archie Campbell and Chester Brown, of Komoka, Ontario, were adjudged the winners and thus their club is entitled to hold the W. D. Robb Challenge Cup for a year. Second place in this contest went to Lottie Austen, Skye Glen, and Annie Cameron, Mabou, representing Nova Scotia. The judges announced that the margin separating the two teams was a very scant one. Saskatchewan took third place, the representatives of that province being Allan Lusch and David Fulkner, of Wiseton, this pair making a most favorable impression in the lecture demonstration which formed the second part of the competition.

Fourth place went to Alberta, Clifford Lynn and James Wyllie, of Vegreville, forming the team from that province. Wyllie is a brother to one of

the youths from that province who won the trophy last year. Two boys from Prince Edward Island, Harold Smith and Edmund Robertson, of Pownal, were next. Then came the Manitoba team, Ruby Finkbeiner and Pearl Hodgson, of Decker. Two girls from New Brunswick followed, Alice and Lilly Davis, of Port Elgin, and then the representatives of Quebec, H. Parnell and T. A. Woodward, of Lennoxville.

Following the decision of the judges, Dr. W. J. Black, director of the Department of Colonization, Agriculture and Natural Resources, Canadian National Railways, the organization responsible for this special competition, offered congratulations to the young men and the young women who had come to Toronto for this event. Dr. Black stressed the necessity for concentration and specialization and reminded his hearers that the future success of the railways depends upon agriculture, that the success of agriculture largely depends upon livestock and that the branch of that latter industry which promises the most profitable return is the bacon hog.

Mr. W. D. Robb, vice-president, Canadian National Railways, in presenting the trophy to the Ontario boys, expressed his personal appreciation of the splendid work done by every team present, it being evident, he said, that each individual had worked earnestly and faithfully in order to win the provincial contest and with it the right to travel to Toronto. Each individual received a gold medal as a souvenir of the occasion and Mr. Robb congratulated each personally for their efforts.

Photograph shows: Back row, Clifford Lynn and James Wyllie, Vegreville, Alta.; Allan Lusch and David Fulkner, Wiseton, Sask. Front row, Pearl Hodgson, Decker, Man.; W. E. Watson, Agricultural Agent, C.N.R.; D. M. Johnson, Western Manager, Agricultural Dept., C.N.R.; Ruby Finkbeiner, Decker, Man.

The first effect of the discoveries of Garnet and other early maturing wheats, became apparent when the federal department of agriculture officially announced that the northern limit of agriculture in Western Canada had been forced back from 60 to 75 miles and a vast new empire opened up for production purposes. The announcement was not issued until the final reports had been received from the northland, where seed plots were cleared last spring and where Garnet wheat was planted. Although the seed reached these plots much later than usual, in every case it ripened and was harvested before the frost came.

The full effect of this discovery can scarcely be imagined. A territory extending from east of The Pas on the Hudson Bay Railway to the Peace River district, and between 60 and 70 miles in breadth, now becomes good mixed farming country.

Hon. W. R. Motherwell, minister of agriculture, who issued the statement, declared that he was delighted with the work that has been done.

His statement follows: "During the past season the federal department of agriculture has tried out the possibilities of growing different varieties of cereals, root crops and vegetables at Mile 185 and Mile 137 (north of The Pas) on the Hudson Bay Railroad on small plots of cleared land situated at those points.

"The seeds were not received early enough to sow before May 25 at Mile 185, and May 23 at Mile 137, but the long days with the long sunshine and short nights of the north causes a quick growth, and with many varieties, astonishingly good results were indicated when these points were visited by an officer of the experimental farms branch about September 18 last. He reported that the season had been very favorable in the north, so far as sunshine and rainfall were concerned. All the varieties of wheat, oats and barley had done well, although at Mile 137 a somewhat better showing was made than at Mile 185.

"The early varieties of each crop of these cereals had already been harvested without damage by frost or otherwise, while the latter were practically ready to harvest at the time of his visit, September 18. Vegetables also made a good showing, peas doing especially well. Roots were still somewhat small, but it was expected that they, together with all the other vegetables, would improve considerably during the few weeks following. It is expected that the final report of yields, etc., of the different varieties will be available for publication very shortly. Sufficient, however, has already been illustrated, even with the comparatively late sowing of last spring, to further demonstrate the possibilities of our prairie northland from The Pas to the Peace River in the growing of wheat and other cereals, made possible by the development of such early varieties of wheat as Ruby, Garnet, Reward, etc.

"A new homestead area would seem inevitable throughout this vast additional semi-wooded area, with its safety-first, mixed farming opportunities."

Alberta Coal In Demand

Now Being Shipped As Far East As Chapeau, Ont.

Charles Murphy, general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, western lines, stated that little or no coal was going into Manitoba from the south, nearly all the domestic fuel being supplied by Alberta. Ninety per cent. of the coal in Winnipeg, he stated, came from Alberta, and the Alberta product was going as far east as Chapeau in Ontario, 375 miles east of Fort William. "I think there is no question of the market being maintained if good quality coal is shipped," he remarked.

Quaint Marriage Custom

A quaint marriage custom among the native tribes on the Benue River, in Central Africa. When a man marries, his sister goes through a wedding ceremony with the bride's brother. If there is no sister the bridegroom has to enter into an agreement with his brother-in-law to work for him for a period of three years, this being the standard value of a sister.

Scots Fuel-Saving Scheme

A century ago the British Parliament sanctioned the construction of the Monkland Railway, in Scotland. Its motive power was the wind, and umbrellas were hoisted to catch it and send the trains along. The wind was not always in the right direction, and in these circumstances the train was pushed.

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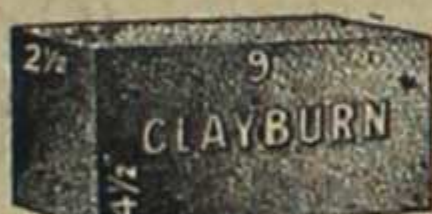
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ABBOTSFORD

Miss McDaniel of Wauwright, Alta. was recent guest of her brother, Mr. J. L. McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gilmour entertained a few friends on Tuesday evening in honor of their son and daughter-in-law who are visiting from Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. McInnes and daughters of Sullivan were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Owen.

At a meeting of the Abbotsford Symphony orchestra held on Tuesday it was decided that a dance be held on Feb. 9 and a concert on Feb. 23.

A Get-Together Social of the Abbotsford War Veterans was held in the St. Matthew's Hall on Thursday when games, music, dancing, lantern views and agreeable sociability whiled away an enjoyable evening. Another such event will be held in the near future.

The annual vestry meeting of St. Matthew's church will be held next Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McLean have returned to B.C. from Pennsylvania, and are at present guests of Mr. and Mrs. McGillivray.

ELECTION CAMPAIGN WELL UNDERWAY IN MATSQUI

Matsqui municipal nominations drew a crowd of over two hundred to the Municipal Hall at Mt. Lehman, a surprising number of whom were women. One or two spirited speeches marked the occasion, and indicated a lively election contest. Nominations were as follows: Reeve—A. McCallum, Wm. Merryfield; Council, Ward 1—A. Gledhill, R. Emanuel, Ward 2—J. P. Carr, P. R. Keay, A. A. Boyle, G. H. Leach; Ward 3—W. S. Hill-Tout, J. Mutch; Ward 4—C. O'D. Bell, W. Elliott, T. Goodchild.

The campaign started vigorously on Tuesday evening with meetings at Mt. Lehman and Bradner, addressed by the ward aspirants concerned and reeveship candidates. Wednesday night meetings are held at Glen Valley and Aberdeen, Thursday night at Poplar and Peardonville and on Friday at Clayburn and Matsqui. Election day is Saturday.

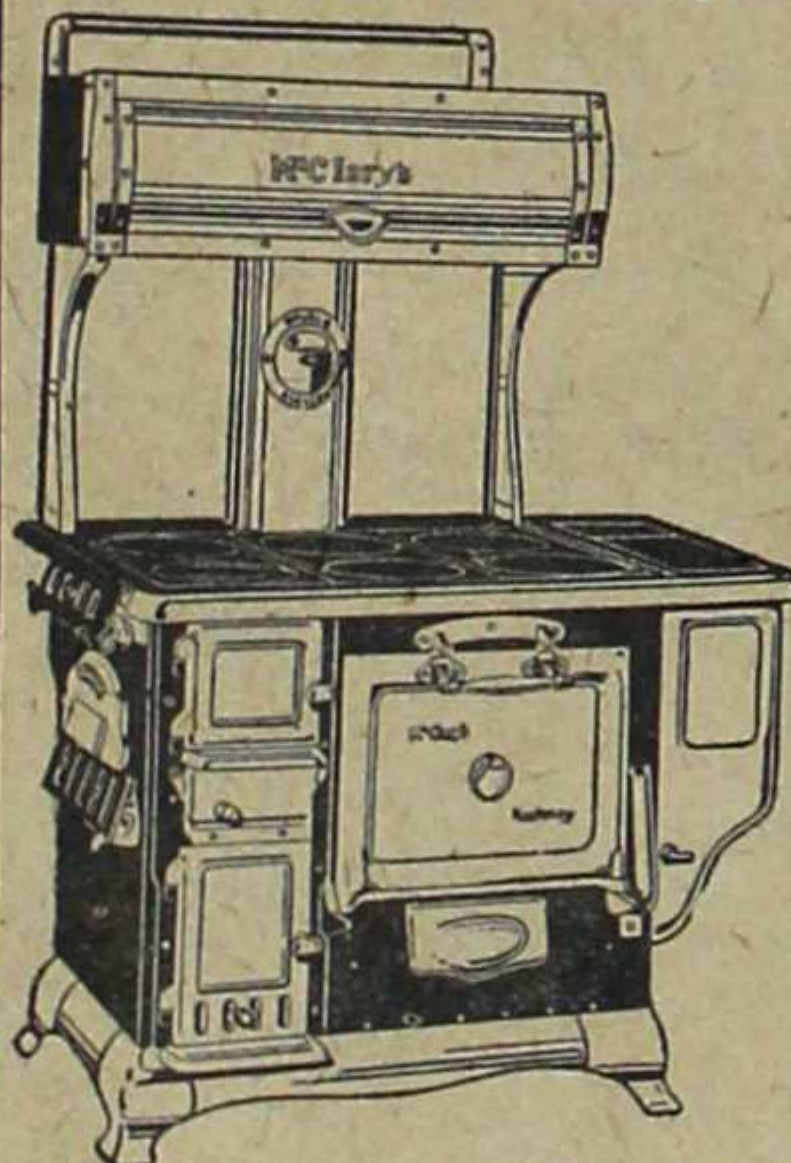
Under management of Charles Sumner, for 19 years resident of, and actively in business in, Abbotsford, the Matsqui Meat Market is opened this week. Mr. Sumner knows his business thoroughly and is prepared to give regular and dependable service.

Oscar Olund has secured contract for building a 4-room residence for Mr. McNeill at Mission on the Silverdale road.

ORIENTAL SENTENCED ON NARCOTIC CHARGE

One year in Oakalla followed by deportation is the sentence meted out to Rong Kee by Magistrate Johnson in New Westminster district court last Friday. He was picked up by the police while walking the B.C.E. tracks between Abbotsford and Clayburn, and found in possession of opium.

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PERNOSKI, OF ABBOTSFORD

The death occurred in the M.S.A. hospital on Tuesday morning of Mrs. Pernoski, a resident of Abbotsford for the past 18 years.

Deceased was 45 years of age and a native of Russia. She had been in low health and a heavy cold which developed pneumonia, hastened the end.

Remaining are the husband, M. Pernoski, and five sons and one daughter, namely: James at Powell River, Nellie, William, Peter, John, and George all at home. Funeral arrangements await the arrival of the son James from Powell River.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation and thanks to all those who so kindly displayed their sympathy in our recent bereavement in the death of our sister.

MR. & MRS. D. DUGUID
MISS K. CUMMINGS

HUNTINGDON W.I. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR THIS YEAR

At the annual meeting of the Huntingdon W.I. held at home of Mrs. T. Simonds last Thursday the following officers were elected for the present year: Mrs. Finlay, president; Mrs. Davis, vice-pres.; Mrs. Purvis, sec.-treas. The new directorate is as follows: Mrs. S. Davis, Mrs. A. W. Finlay, Mrs. P. H. Dawson, Mrs. Alex. Purvis and Mrs. L. Sell. Eighteen members were present.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. Gil. Cox on January 11, a son.

A dance will be held in the old hall on Friday.

The Sumas Social Club will meet at Mrs. Nelles' next Thursday.

SUMAS FARMERS INVITED TO ANOTHER CONFERENCE

The Sumas Municipal Clerk has received a communication from Dr. Rothwell through the municipal solicitors inviting the land owners' committee to a conference with the implication that the charges might be lightened for the first few years. This overture is not regarded with any great confidence or satisfaction by the farmers and it is not receiving serious consideration.

Hon. E. D. Barrow announces that collection of the dyking assessments levied against Sumas land owners will commence shortly, as soon as the courts have dealt with a few individual assessment appeals.

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